

MONDAY, JAN. 22, 1883.

THIS DAY'S DOINGS.

Band at Emma Square, 7:30.  
Algaroba Lodge, I.O.G.T., 7:30.  
Harmony Lodge, I.O.O.F., 7:30.  
Prayer meeting, Smith st., 7:30.

HAD THE ANCIENTS CHEAP BOOKS?

Mr. S. E. Damon remarks, in his lecture on Copyright, that it is a very common error to suppose that the ancient world was very badly supplied with books—to transfer to the times of the Greeks, Romans and Egyptian civilization, the darkness and dearth of mediæval Europe. The fact is, that in those days every gentleman's home had its library, and every city had its public library. In every wealthy household was a servant to read aloud, and another to copy books. In those days a publisher or bookseller kept a staff of skilled slaves. When a book was to be published, one of these read and the others wrote, and in that manner, by means of cheap slave labor, large editions of books were published. Atticus, Curi's friend, kept a large number of slaves transcribing, and made a great deal of money by the sale of books so manufactured. The literary activity of the countries round the Mediterranean was very great, and we underestimate it. Horace has preserved for us the names of the booksellers in whose shops he used to lounge. Martial refers a shabby fellow called Luperus (who wanted to borrow his epigrams) to his bookseller Atreus. He tells him the shop is "opposite the former of Caesar, and placards are posted inside giving the names of poets," evidently as is the custom of booksellers to this day. The price of the volume—the first book of his epigrams—he says is five denarii, equivalent to three shillings and sixpence sterling. Now, this first book contains one hundred and nineteen epigrams, or over seven hundred verses. It appears elsewhere that cheaper copies were provided. Martial refers to copies well rubbed with pumice and adorned with purple. The cheaper copies could be had at half that price, but this was in the best style. So that if we compare the price with the published prices in England of "Maud," or any of the small original volumes of Tennyson's poems, which were issued at five or six shillings, the Roman publisher does not seem to be much dearer than the English one.—Communicated.

THE CONCERT.

As announced, the Hawaiian Amateur Minstrels gave an entertainment in the Music-Hall. The house was a bumper one, there being over \$300 taken in cash at the door. Previous to the concert Mr. Dodd sent the 'bus round with the band which seemed to draw people out of the ground. Our detailed account is held over for to-morrow's issue.

POLICE COURT—JANUARY 20.

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.  
Wm. Tregone, drunk, forfeited bail of \$6. Kaikau k. and Kikamalu w., fornication, remanded from 8th; not pros as they had got married.  
Lepka w., deserting her husband, ordered to return, and costs \$3.  
Thos Moxley, insane; on testimony of Dr. Fitch was committed to the Insane Asylum.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Correspondence is solicited on the topics of the day, or what may become so. We reserve the right to exercise purely personal matter.  
We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.—En.

EDITOR BULLETIN:—As I went in to get a cup of coffee last night at one of the restaurants I noticed a policeman in a chair fast asleep and snoring. It was about half-past seven o'clock. Now, I don't know whether he was on duty or off, but he had his badge on, from which I should imagine that he was on duty. I think that a stricter watch ought to be kept on these guardians of the place so that they wouldn't fall asleep so often. Yours truly,  
Honolulu, Jan. 20th.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The bark Hermann was brought in to port last night.  
The Mokoli brought 297 packages of sugar and 83 barrels molasses.  
The Mokoli was unable to land all her freight this trip, on account of the rough weather. Kipahulu, Huele and other places were not visited.  
The Rosario arrived at Kahului on Thursday from Eureka.  
The Kilauka Hou brought 1184 bags of sugar. The wrecked crew of the schooner Prince came down in her.

LOCAL & GENERAL ITEMS.

The Supreme Court will adjourn sine die to-day.

Three weeks to the Coronation. And how much is ready?

"A FINE day yesterday," is the by-word now—vide P.C.A., Jan. 17th.

On Saturday afternoon the carriage of one of the Ministry broke down on the Ewa road.

At the Government Buildings everything is being cleaned and fixed and new matting is being laid down for the Coronation.

On Saturday it was said that two seamen of the Hermann were brought on shore in irons. Why, we could not find out.

Tickets of admission to the lecture to take place to-morrow evening, can now be had from Messrs. J. W. Robertson & Co., J. M. Oat & Co., and T. G. Thrum.

Is there nothing going to be done about forming a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals? On Saturday morning, in Queen street, a horse was very cruelly handled—kicked and punched most unmercifully.

It is said that the lepers on Molokai think they are improving so rapidly under Dr. Fitch's treatment that they refuse to take his medicines any longer, for fear of being cured, and so being sent away from Kalawao.

A FRIEND who has lately come from there, says: "The lepers at Molokai are getting up a memorial to have Dr. Fitch as resident physician there. It is being signed by every leper. They say they will have no other there."

WATERHOUSE'S No. 10 Fort street store has had iron rings fastened into the kerbstone to allow of horses being hitched to them. It would be well for others of our stores to attend to the suggestions of our correspondent, A.B.C.

The rubbish, &c., which was left in front of H. H. Keelikolani's residence, after it was finished, has never been carted away. It is now overgrown with weeds and forms a perfect man-trap at night, as there are no lights on Emma street to indicate its whereabouts and warn the unwary traveler to avoid it.

"Honolulu policemen play at marbles with small boys on the sidewalks, and the daily newspapers argue that it betrays a lack of dignity."

The above is from one of the latest weekly *Altoz*. It shows that even trifling news about these islands is eagerly picked up and read.

It is a strange thing that children are allowed to play in the streets so late at night. Night after night groups of them will be found congregating around the corners or out in the middle of the street, only to separate when a cabman almost drives over them. If parents cannot or will not keep them home the police ought to be instructed to disperse them and order them home.

The other day a gentleman gave some books to a native expressman to take to his home for him. On reaching home that night he found the books had not arrived. He started at once for the Police Station, but when he got there he found the books had already been left by the cabman who stated he had been unable to find the house.

Day by day we hear complaints about the quarterly bill system. It was pointed out to us that of the people in Honolulu, at least, one-tenth pay cash for what they get, and of the other nine-tenths, one-tenth get their pay monthly, and the balance get it weekly, so where the necessity for quarterly accounts arises it is difficult to see.

We have received a copy of the report of the nineteenth annual report of the Hawaiian Evangelical Association in June, 1882. It seems to be rather a late date to circulate printed copies of a report six months after its appearance, but we suppose that the proverb, "better late than never," holds good in this case. The report shows much that is cheering in the progress of the good work, but it shows that many things have to be done yet, both here and abroad, before entire satisfaction will be obtained.

LONDON GOSSIP.

(BY FLANEUR.)

Special for the Daily Bulletin.

The Blue Ribbon movement in Dublin is making rapid way; but a man who attended one of the meetings last week, refused all importunities to sign the pledge. "No, I won't," he protested, "the only Scripture fellow that ever asked for water, was in a place I don't want to go to!"

The following extract is from a Cairo paper:—"The Bedouins were greatly puzzled by the garb of the Highlanders, who, they came to the conclusion, were not soldiers, but the wives of the soldiers. Distance of course encouraged this delusion, as bare legs were obviously more discernible than the men's faces, covered as they were with veils. The Bedouins noticed that the soldiers' women camped by themselves, and they resolved to go down and spoil the infidel soldiers of their wives; and a body of them actually went, with a result which must have added to the wonderment of both, for the British harem turned out with rifle and bayonet, and very speedily thirsty or forty of the amorous Bedouins bit the dust. After this episode the soldiers' wives were not again attacked by Arab sheikhs who wanted to replenish their harems with English moon-faces."

I. O. G. T.

THE Regular Monthly Meeting of Algaroba Lodge will take place THIS (Monday) EVENING. Nomination of Officers for forthcoming term.  
303 11 FRANK GODFREY, W.S.

Partnership Notice.

WILLIAM L. GRIEVE this day retires from the firm of ROBERT GRIEVE & Co., which is now composed of Robert Grieve and Adam T. Atkinson.  
ROBERT GRIEVE & Co.  
Honolulu, Jan. 20th, 1883. 303 31

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EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER, for Plantation on Kauai. Apply to H. HACKFELD & Co.  
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LECTURE

By Rev. Geo. Wallace, at the Hall of the Library and Reading Room,  
On Tuesday, January 23rd at 7:30 o'clock.  
Subject—"A Fine Art Much Neglected."  
Admission—To Members, Free, Non-members, 50 cents. 303 21

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On Friday of each week.

F. S. PRATT & Co. Auctioneers.

Auction Sales by E. P. Adams

Furniture Sale,

At the residence of J. M. Davidson, Esq. No. 138 Beretania street, (opposite residence of T. R. Walker)

Wednesday, January 24th,

At 10 a.m. will be sold the entire

Household Furniture

Consisting in part as follows:

Handsome parlor suit, 7 pieces, Centre table, fine engravings, Chandeliers, rugs, window curtains, Comices, easy chairs, library table, B. W. chairs, secretary and book case, Handsome b. w. carved marble top

BEDROOM SET,

Consisting of bedstead, bureau, washstand, rocker, 2 chairs and towel rack, beautiful b. w. wardrobe, with mirror full length, hair and spring mattresses, pillows, blankets, coverlets, mosquito nets, a new sewing machine in perfect order, chamber sets, single and double; b. w. bedsteads.

B. W. sideboard, ext. dining table, Dining chairs, glass & crockeryware, Cutlery and plated ware, Refrigerator, meat safe, Kitchen stove, in order; Kitchen furniture, step-ladder, Wheelbarrow, bath tub, hat racks, Also, large Koa office table, I. B. W. bookcase, office chairs and table. E. P. ADAMS, Auctioneer.

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Allen & Robinson.

Notice.

At a meeting of the Directors of Kapiolani Park Association held Jan. 18th, 1883, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year, viz:

A. S. Cleghorn, President.  
Dr. J. S. McGrew, Vice-Pres.  
H. R. Macfarlane, Secretary.  
Cecil Brown, Treasurer.  
Signed, H. R. MACFARLANE, Sec. K. P. A. 302 1w

Notice of Dissolution.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between Bruce Cartwright, W. S. Luce and A. W. Bush, under the firm name or style of the Union Feed Co., is this day dissolved.

BRUCE CARTWRIGHT

Dated Honolulu, January 8, 1883.

CARD.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the said parties above mentioned was not dissolved on the 28th day of December, 1882. The undersigned has not purchased the interest of W. S. Luce and A. W. Bush, and has not assumed all the liabilities of said firm. BRUCE CARTWRIGHT. Dated Honolulu, Jan. 8, 1883. 292 1m

Notice of Dissolution.

THE Union Feed Company, composed of Bruce Cartwright, W. S. Luce, and A. W. Bush, was dissolved on the 28th day of December, 1882, Bruce Cartwright purchasing the entire interest of W. S. Luce and A. W. Bush, who from the 28th December, 1882, ceased to be partners in the said Union Feed Company. Bruce Cartwright, the purchaser, assuming all liabilities of said Company prior to date of dissolution thereof. W. S. LUCE. A. W. BUSH. 291 1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Broglie, Spear & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. A. W. Richardson retiring. All claims will be paid by C. Broglie and J. A. Spear, and all debts will be collected by them.

The business will continue under the firm name of Broglie & Spear. CHAS. BROGLIE. JOHN A. SPEAR. A. W. RICHARDSON. Honolulu, Jan. 13, 1883. 296 1m

Notice.

ALL DEBTS due to the undersigned must be paid on or before the 31st January, otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a collector. 294 2w CAPT. MARCHANT.

Notice.

At the Annual Meeting of the East Maui Plantation Co., held at Honolulu, January 17th, 1883, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Col. W. F. Allen, President  
J. E. Hoffmann, Vice President  
P. C. Jones, Jr., Sec'y and Treas.  
W. F. Allen, Auditor  
DIRECTORS:  
Messrs. W. F. Allen, A. G. Ellis, and P. C. Jones, Jr.  
300 3w P. C. JONES, JR., Sec'y.

Notice.

Having purchased the good-will of the Hotel Street Market, we are now prepared to supply old customers and new ones with the best quality of Beef, Mutton, Pork, Veal, Poultry and Eggs at market prices. Shipping supplied with live stock. CAVENAGH & Co. Honolulu, January 8, 1883. 292

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